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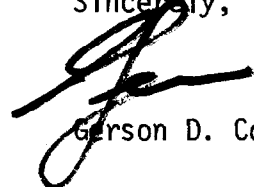
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Dear Josh:

How kind of you to write, and particularly to give me that kind of encouragement to turn to you again. To be quite frank, if I have not been as good a friend as I would like to be with you, I, too, have been ill for about a year and a half, and am in your neighborhood very frequently for tests. I am able to function, and, indeed, am on the way to what I hope will be classified as complete recovery and reversal of my disease. While it has occasionally been agonizing, it has also been some fun to be "on the frontiers of medicine." I am saying this only to indicate to you that I am delighted to hear that you are back at work and in full steam. Had I known about your illness I would have enquired and expressed best wishes.

I hope they are still in place for you and your family for a happy Passover.

Sincerely,


Gerson D. Cohen

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